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E. O. 11652: GDS
TAGS: MOPS, CB
SUBJECT: PRESS REPORTS OF CIVILIAN BOMBING CASAULTIES

1. BALTIMORE SUN REPORTERS SEIDEN AND DAVIDSON WILL APPARENTLY FILE A STORY QUOTING REFUGEES AS STATING THAT A LARGE NUMBER OF CIVILIANS HAVE BEEN KILLED IN RECENT DAYS DURING U.S. AIR ATTACKS ON VILLAGES SOUTH

OF PHNOM PENH. ALTHOUGH SEIDEN AND DAVIDSON CLAIM TO

HAVE SEVERAL SOURCES, THEY HAVE BEEN ABLE TO CITE ONLY ONE SPECIFIC LOCATION AND DATE, KHUM CHHOER TEAL, WHICH WAS ALLEGEDLY BOMBED ON JULY 26.

2. WE HAVE ASKED COMUSSAG TO CHECK ITS RECORDS AND HAVE BEEN INFORMED THAT NO AIR ATTACKS OCCURRED IN THE GENERAL AREA OF KHUM CHHOER TEAL ON THIS DATE OR IMMEDIATELY PRECEEDING

AND SUCCEEDING DAYS.
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